

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

IN RE: KMC TELECOM V, INC.	DOCKET NOS. TCU-00-26 TF-02-554
	CERTIFICATE NO. 0260

CERTIFICATE

(Issued December 23, 2002)

On August 7, 2000, the Utilities Board (Board) issued an order granting an application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity, pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29, to KMC Telecom V, Inc., (KMC). In the order, the Board stated that KMC would be issued a certificate when it had given notice to all affected local exchange carriers and had an approved tariff on file with the Board.

On November 27, 2002, KMC filed a proposed local exchange tariff, identified as Docket No. TF-02-554, that contains the terms, conditions, and rates for KMC's local exchange service. An order approving the proposed tariff and issuing a certificate is being issued concurrently with this certificate. Since KMC will have an approved tariff to provide local exchange service, the Board will issue Certificate No. 0260 authorizing KMC to provide local exchange service.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

This certificate of public convenience and necessity, issued pursuant to Iowa Code § 476.29(1) (2001), authorizes KMC Telecom V, Inc., to furnish local telephone service in the exchanges as shown by its tariffs as currently and subsequently approved.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 23rd day of December, 2002.